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C :tive Statement: Identify Alternative or Enhanced Electronic Composition Systems for the One.

Responsible Officer:

Identify Alternative or Enhanced Electronic Composition Systems for the 90s. X — Actual (Effective April 89)



Activities Planned		Quarter 1		Quarter 2		Quarter 3		Quarter 4					
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1.	Determine functional requirements for a composition system including features, processing speed, input & output requirements.				0)		
2.	Survey marketplace to determine vendors who have a reasonable chance of meeting requirements.	0		: 							-		
3.	Prepare benchmark test for those vendors identified in market survey.				0								
4.	Run benchmark at vendor site and record results.							0					
5.	Prepare final report with cost vs benefit analysis and recommendation (to be procured in 1991).				-						0		



June 30, 1989

OBJECTIVE STATEMENT: Identify Alternative or Enhanced Electronic Composition System for Printing and Photography Group/OL

I. ACTIVITY THIS PERIOD: This period covers 3 April - 8 June

Meetings were held with representatives from several companies. They were invited here to discuss the products that they now have available on the market and to provide some insight as to the future direction of their product line.

5 April			SIAI
17 April			
19 April			
12 May			
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II. PROBLEMS ENCO	UNTERED:		

In April 1989 replaced as Deputy Chief, Prepress Branch, resulting in a change in project officer responsibility. The shift in responsible officers has resulted in an adjustment in schedule.

III. PLANS FOR NEXT PERIOD:

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Continue to research the functional requirements.

Set up additional meetings with vendors to discuss available products.

In mid-June, STAT will attend the American Newspaper Publishers Association Conference and will have an opportunity to see demonstrations on Prepress equipment.

